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MAIL STOP AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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RESPONSE AND AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed April 25, 2006 in the above-identified patent application, the date for response to which is extended by three months to October 25, 2006 by the accompanying Request for Three Month Extension of Time included below, Applicants file electronically this Response and Amendment.